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ANNUAL REPORT

....OF THE....

Town Officers

....OF....

RANDOLPH, N. H.

For the Fiscal Year Ending February 15,

1899

BY THE SELECTMEN, TREASURER, ROAD AGENT, CLERK AND SCHOOL BOARD.

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SELECTMEN'S REPORT.

VALUATION.

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|---|---|--|------------|
| Real estate, | | | \$57,896 |
| Personal estate, | | | 3,960 |
| Polls, | | | 4,200 |
| ASSESSMENT | S. | | |
| Highway, | \$ 500 | 00 | |
| School money, | 250 | 00 | |
| Repairing school house, | 50 | 00 | |
| Town expenses, | 200 | 00 | |
| Library, | 15 | 00 | |
| State tax, | 102 | 00 | |
| County tax, | 198 | 44 | |
| Overlay, | 5 | 68 | |
| | | | |
| Total, | | | \$1,321 12 |
| Settlement with Collector for | r 1892 | -9 | 7. |
| Due from collector for 1892 and 1897 | 7, | | \$395 07 |
| Received from collector, orders on | | | |
| | | | |
| highway, | \$ 70 | 32 | |
| highway, Housing road machine, 2 years, | | 32 00 | |
| | 6 | | |
| Housing road machine, 2 years, | 6 | 00 25 | |
| Housing road machine, 2 years, Paid Supervisors, | 6 5 | 00 25 91 | |
| Housing road machine, 2 years, Paid Supervisors, Paid for schools, 1897, | 6 5 58 55 | 00 25 91 | |
| Housing road machine, 2 years, Paid Supervisors, Paid for schools, 1897, Treasurer's receipts, | 6 5 58 55 | 00 25 91 33 00 | |
| Housing road machine, 2 years, Paid Supervisors, Paid for schools, 1897, Treasurer's receipts, Tax on V. B. Watson estate, 1897, | 6 5 58 55 3 | 00 25 91 33 00 | |
| Housing road machine, 2 years, Paid Supervisors, Paid for schools, 1897, Treasurer's receipts, Tax on V. B. Watson estate, 1897, Cash, | 6 5 58 55 3 29 117 | 00 25 91 33 00 | |
| Housing road machine, 2 years, Paid Supervisors, Paid for schools, 1897, Treasurer's receipts, Tax on V. B. Watson estate, 1897, Cash, Amount on sale book, | 6 5 58 55 3 29 117 4 | 00 25 91 33 00 00 87 | |
| Housing road machine, 2 years, Paid Supervisors, Paid for schools, 1897, Treasurer's receipts, Tax on V. B. Watson estate, 1897, Cash, Amount on sale book, Percentage, | 6 5 58 55 3 29 117 4 | 00 25 91 33 00 00 87 34 | \$351 40 |

| Settlement with Collector | r for 18 | 98. | |
|--------------------------------------|----------|----------|------------|
| Amount committed for collection, | | | \$1,345 15 |
| Received from Collector, Treasurer's | | | |
| receipts, | 697 | 34 | |
| Highway orders, | 16 | 42 | |
| Repairing grave yard fence, | 1 | 00 | |
| Boarding teacher, L. M. Watson, | 22 | 50 | |
| Cash, | 10 | 25 | |
| | | | |
| | | | \$747 49 |
| Balance due, | | | \$597 66 |
| RECEIPTS. | | | |
| Received from Collector 1892-97, | \$351 | 70 | |
| Received from Collector, 1898, | 747 | 49 | |
| Savings bank tax, | 59 | 60 | |
| Literary fund, | 18 | 60 | |
| Gorham bank, | 80 | 00 | |
| Received from McNeal estate, | 40 | 00 | |
| Redemption, | 149 | 56 | |
| Dog licenses, | 9 | 60 | |
| | | | |
| DISBURSEMEN | ITS. | | \$1,456 55 |
| Paid for work on highways, | \$507 | 60 | |
| schools, | 361 | | |
| T. S. Lowe, selectmen, | | | |
| services, 1897, | 14 | 95 | |
| Printing town report, 1897, | 8 | 00 | |
| Paid R. I. Leighton, selectmen | | | |
| services, 1897, | 8 | 44 | |
| for burying Hector McNeal, | 10 | 95 | |
| E. Libby & Sons, for lumber, | 20 | 16 | |
| Edson C. Eastman, stationery, | | 93 | |
| | | 75 76 84 | |

| T. S. Lowe, watering trough, | \$ 3 | 00 |
|----------------------------------|-------|----|
| T. S. Lowe, Decosta murder trial | , 7 | 20 |
| George Wood, estate, interest, | . 5 | 00 |
| Mrs. A. A. Evans, interest, | 5 | 00 |
| State tax, | 102 | 00 |
| County tax, | 198 | 41 |
| H. B. Wood, interest on note, | 25 | 00 |
| F. C. Wood, board of health, | 2 | 25 |
| F. C. Wood, Treasurer, | 15 | 00 |
| E. S. Wood, interest on note, | 1 | 90 |
| Vyron D. Lowe, one note, | 104 | 00 |
| Stationery and postage, | | 76 |
| To librarian, | 16 | 25 |
| Recording deeds, | 2 | 00 |
| Miscellaneous, | 78014 | 71 |
| Money in treasurer's hands, | 35 | 23 |
| | | |

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LIABILITIES.

| Mrs. A. A. Evans, note, | \$100 | 00 |
|---------------------------------------|-------|----|
| George Woods, note, | 38 | 00 |
| acceptance of the second | 500 | 00 |
| | 100 | 00 |
| Nellie Scates, | 200 | 00 |
| ce in the second second | 70 | 00 |
| Interest on same, | 19 | 00 |
| Gorham Savings Bank, | 80 | 00 |
| T. S. Lowe, selectmen services, 1898, | 14 | 75 |
| Water trough, | 3 | 00 |
| Tramp bill, | 1 | 25 |
| T. S. Lowe, road work, | 12 | 45 |

| J. P. Weeks, selectman services, 1 | 898. \$9 | 00 | | |
|------------------------------------|----------|----|---------|----|
| R. I. Leighton, "" | | 00 | | |
| " road work, | 2 | 00 | | |
| Ithiel Scates, town clerk, | 14 | 80 | | |
| Due J. C. Bradbury, | 45 | 00 | | |
| E. Hunt, | 6 | 00 | | |
| | - | 1 | 4 156 | |
| | | | \$1,290 | 25 |
| ASSETS. | | | | |
| Due on resident sale books, 1890, | | | | |
| 1892, 1895, 1896, 1897, 1898, | \$614 | 03 | | |
| Due from collector, 1897, | 43 | 60 | | |
| 1898, | 597 | 66 | | |
| In Treasurer's hands, | 35 | 23 | | |
| Due on dogs, | . 4 | 00 | | |
| Due from R. I. Leighton, | 2 | 00 | | |
| In Selectmens' hands, | 4 | 00 | | |
| Due on M. V. B. Watson, estate, | 64 | 14 | | |
| the second | | | \$1,364 | 66 |
| Assets, Feb. 15, 1899, | \$1,364 | 66 | | |
| Liabilities, | 1,240 | 25 | | |
| Balance in favor of town, | | 1 | \$124 | 41 |

ROBERT I. LEIGHTON, THADDEUS S. LOWE, JOS. P. WEEKS, Selectmen of Randolph.

ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

| L. M. | | TSON, ROAD AGENT, YEAR E | nding, feb. 14, | 18 | 99. |
|---------|-----|--|-----------------|---|----------|
| Mar | 3 | Order on collector, Frank | Reed, \$ | 9 | 00 |
| Feb | 26 | Treasurer, H. St | | 4 | 50 |
| Mar | 4 | Treasurer, W. K | | 7 | 35 |
| | | Treasurer, C. E. | | | 75 |
| | 7 | Collector, S. M. | | 6 | 00 |
| | 8 | Treasurer, G. F. | | | 00 |
| | | Treasurer, I. M. | | | 05. |
| | | Collector, Willia | | | 00. |
| | | housing mac | | 2 | 00 |
| 189 | 9 | nousing mac | nine, | 0 | 00 |
| Jan | | Collector, Willia | m Howker. | | |
| | | shoveling sno | | | 90 |
| Feb | 4 | Collector, Willia | | | |
| 100 | 643 | shoveling sno | | 9 | 40 |
| | 8. | Collector, Willia | | | 10 |
| | O. | shoveling sno | | 9 | 40 |
| Mar | 8 | | | STEWN. | ST. 1881 |
| Mar | 0 | Treasurer, F. C. | | | 00 |
| | | Treasurer, C. E. | | | 00 |
| | 700 | Collector, J. P. | | | 12 |
| Apr | 4 | Treasurer, W. K | | | 85 |
| 1 1/1/2 | | | Leighton, | | 50 |
| 1 | 15 | ₩ • | | A CONTRACTOR | 95 |
| | 20 | 1. 10 | Kelsey, | 100000000000000000000000000000000000000 | 40 95 |
| | 22 | | Russell, | | 25 |
| | | Collector, T. S. 1 | | | 28 |
| | 28 | | Scates, | | 75 |
| | | " I. M. | Scates. | | 98 |
| June | | Treasurer, C. S. | Wilson, | | 25 |
| May | | Collector, L. M. | Watson, | | 05 |
| July | | Treasurer, T. S. | Lowe, | 05 | |
| June | 18 | Joe. | Russell, | 8 | 50 |

| | AND COMPANY FOR SOME OF THE PROPERTY OF THE PR | | |
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| 1898 | | | |
| Nov 9 | Order on Treasurer, S. M. Brown, | 3 | 00 |
| Dec 3 | F. C. Wood, | 1 | 50 |
| Oct 5 | "F. C. Wood, | 19 | 44 |
| June 18 | "W. Kelsey, | 26 | 25 |
| July 4 | "J. Williamson, | 8 | 25 |
| June 18 | " C. E. Buzzell, | 11 | 00 |
| | " C. E. Buzzell, | | |
| | stone culverts, | 43 | 50 |
| | Treasurer, G. F. Scates, | 9 | 00 |
| | "I. M, Scates, | 9 | 00 |
| | "Ithiel Scates, | 1 | 50 |
| Sept 10 | L. C. Rines, | 7 | 50 |
| June 18 | " C. E. Lowe. Jr., | 13 | 00 |
| Nov 9 | " L. M. Watson, | 48 | 90 |
| | " L. M. Watson, | 21 | 50 |
| Sept 1 | R. I. Leighton, | 2 | 00 |
| June 18 | " Joel Leighton, | 3 | 00 |
| Oct 7 | " E. Libby & Sons, | | |
| | road plank, | 47 | 89 |
| 1899 | and the second of the second o | | |
| Feb 9 | Treasurer, Frank Reed, | A STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE PAR | 50 |
| | Collector, William Howker, | COLUMN TO SERVICE STATE OF THE PARTY OF THE | 00 |
| 10 | 11. Wil. Watson, | | 22 |
| 13 | " Ithiel Scates, " Frank Reed, | | 10 60 |
| | "L. M. Watson, | | 60 |
| | | Mary Mary | |
| Amo | ount expended, | \$471 | 68 |
| Balance of | on hand, Feb. 15, 1898, | \$126 | 64 |
| | appropriated for 1898 and 1899, | 500 | 00 |
| | | \$626 | 64 |
| Ame | ount on hand, Feb. 14, 1899, | \$154 | |
| Ainc | ount on hand, 1 co. 14, 1000, | PIUT | 30 |

REPORT OF THE SCHOOL BOARD.

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| Voted by town for school, | \$125 | 00 |
|----------------------------|-------|----|
| Voted by town for repairs, | 50 | 00 |
| Amount required by law, | 125 | 00 |
| Literary fund, | 18 | 60 |
| Savings bank tax, | 59 | 60 |
| Balance unexpended, | 15 | 49 |
| | | |

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EXPENDITURES.

For Teachers, Spring Term.

| District | No. | 1. | Iona L. Potter, | \$35 | 00 |
|----------|-----|----|-----------------|------|----|
| | 66 | 2, | Della Bennett, | 35 | 00 |

Teachers' Board, Spring Term.

| District No. | 1, | L. M. Watson, | \$25 | 00 |
|--------------|----|-------------------|------|----|
| | 2, | Mrs. Eugene Hunt, | 25 | 00 |

For Teachers, Fall Term.

| District | No. | 1, | Iona L. Potter, | \$31 | 50 |
|----------|-----|----|-----------------|------|-----|
| " | 66 | 1, | Effie M. Wood, | 3 | 50 |
| 66 | | 2, | Della Bennett, | 35 | .00 |

Teachers' Board, Fall Term.

| District | No. | 1, | L. M. Watson, | \$22 | 50 |
|----------|------|----|-------------------|------|----|
| 66 | . 66 | 1, | Effie M. Wood, | 2 | 50 |
| 66 | 66 | 2. | Mrs. Eugene Hunt. | 25 | 00 |

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PAID OFFICERS.

| S. M. Brown, | \$ | 5 2 | 5 |
|---------------|----|-----|---|
| G. F. Scates, | | 6 0 | 0 |

MISCELLANEOUS EXPENSES.

| J. P. Weeks, painting school house | | |
|--------------------------------------|------------|------------|
| in No. 1, | \$14 | 50 |
| Arthur Hunt, grading lot and build- | | |
| ing fence, No. 2, | 26 | 00 |
| Eugene Hunt, repairing shed, No. 2, | 12 | 93 |
| F. F. Reed, for labor, | 4 | 95 |
| S. M. Brown, for labor and supplies, | 20 | 13 |
| T. S. Lowe, for wood, | 3 | 94 |
| G. F. Scates, for labor, | 4 | 00 |
| Books, | 13 | 16 |
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RECAPITULATION.

| Paid teachers, | \$14C | 00 |
|-------------------------|-------|----|
| Teachers' board, | 100 | 00 |
| Miscellaneous expenses, | 99 | 61 |
| Paid officers, | 11 | 25 |
| Balance unexpended, | 42 | 83 |

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S. M. BROWN, School Board of GEO. F. SCATES, Randolph, N. H.

TREASURER'S REPORT.

RECEIPTS.

| 1898 | | |
|--------|----|--|
| Feb. | 15 | Cash in treasury, 10 10 10 10 10 15 158 01 |
| March | 8 | From Town Clerk, dog licenses, 3 60 |
| : | 25 | Joel E. Leighton, Collector for |
| | | 1896, redemption, 40 65 |
| June | 4 | S. M. Brown, collector for 1898, 2 40 |
| | 24 | Joel E. Leighton, redemption, 77 04 |
| July : | 25 | S. M. Brown, Collector for 1898, 97 00 |
| Aug. | 26 | R. I. Leighton, on McNeal estate, 36 00 |
| Sept. | 3 | S. M. Brown, collector for 1898, 135 40 |
| | 30 | Ithiel Scates, Town Clerk, redemption, 50 20 |
| | 30 | dog licenses, 6 00 |
| Oct. | 1 | S. M. Brown, Collector for 1898, 6 00 |
| Nov. | 3 | 655 00 Company of the |
| | 11 | 66 10 66 10 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 16 |
| | 12 | Joel E. Leighton, Collector for 1897, 37 00 |
| 2 | 26 | S. M. Brown, Collector for 1898, 26 72 |
| | 30 | Savings bank tax, 59 60 |
| ; | 30 | Literary fund, 18 60 |
| 1899 | • | |
| Jan. | 7 | S. M. Brown, collector for 1898, 64 40 |
| Feb. | 4 | " " 3 00 |
| : | 14 | Selectmen, 10 25 |
| | | \$1,186 87 |

PAYMENTS. 1898. Feb. 19 T. S. Lowe, selectman's services, \$14 95 Charles Wilson, highway, 30 William Kelsey, 97 H. E. Stanwood. 26 4 50 C. E. Wilson, March 8 75 William Kelsey, 7 35 Charles E. Lowe, 6 00 F. C. Wood, 18 00 G. F. Scates. 9 4 00 I. M. Scates. 3 05 11 Mountaineer, printing reports, 8 00 12 R. I. Leighton, services and money expended, 8 44 M. M. Willis, Hector McNeal estate, 18 10 95 25 E. Libby & Sons, lumber for schools, 5 71 road plank, 20 16 26 L. M. Watson, highway, 75 42 April 4 William Kelsey, 2 85 R. I. Leighton, 7 50 W. D. Reed, breaking roads, 6 00 6 S. M. Brown, school order, 15 13 65 J. P. Weeks, painting school house, 14 50 F. Tirrell, highway, 4 2 40 24 Charles Wilson, highway, 2 25 C. E. Buzzell, 11 00 William Kelsey, 30 75 Iona L. Potter, teaching, 35 00 Edson C. Eastman, stationery, July 93 Joseph Russell, highway, 2 25

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W. H. Kelsey,

| Tal | THE PARTY NAMED IN | | | THE RESERVE OF THE PERSON NAMED IN |
|-------|--------------------|-------------------------------------|----|------------------------------------|
| July | 25 | Jas. Williamson, highway | 8 | 25 |
| | | S. M. Brown, school services, | 5 | 75 |
| | | Geo. F. Scates, " | 6 | 00 |
| | | T. S. Lowe, watering trough, | 3 | 00 |
| | | " DeCosta murder, | 7 | 20 |
| | 27 | Della L. Bennett, teaching, | 35 | 00 |
| | | Registered letter on above, | | 10 |
| July | 30 | T. S. Lowe, highway, | | 75 |
| | | | 20 | 28 |
| Aug. | 1 | George Wood estate, interest, | 5 | 00 |
| | 30 | I. M. Scates, highway, | | 98 |
| | | | 9 | 00 |
| Sept. | 3 | Joseph Russell, " | 8 | 50 |
| | 5 | G. F. Scates, " | | 75 |
| | | E. S. Wood, library, | 1 | 25 |
| | | Mrs. Eugene Hunt, boarding teacher, | 25 | 00 |
| | 6 | L. M. Watson, " | 25 | 00 |
| | | G. F. Scates, highway, | 1 | 40 |
| | 12 | Della L. Bennett, services, | 5 | 00 |
| | 15 | L. C. Rines, highway, | 7 | 50 |
| | 27 | Mrs. A. A. Evans, interest on note, | 5 | 00 |
| | 29 | Chas. S. Wilson, highway, | 1 | 50 |
| | 30 | S. M. Leavitt & Son, highway, | 43 | 50 |
| | | Interest on above, | | 50 |
| | | R. I. Leighton, highway, | 2 | 00 |
| Oct. | 7 | F. C. Wood, " | 19 | 44 |
| | 13 | Nora Hunt, boarding teacher, | 25 | 00 |
| | | Della Bennett, teaching, | 30 | 00 |
| | 27 | T. S. Lowe, highway, | 20 | 25 |
| | | T. S. Lowe, school wood, | 3 | 94 |
| - | 9 | Iona L. Potter, teaching, | 31 | 50 |
| Vov. | 3 | Tona 12. I otter, teaching, | UL | OU |

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| | | | OTHER DESIGNATION | THE PARTY |
|---------|----|---|-------------------|--|
| | 17 | Effie M. Wood, teaching, | 6 | 00 |
| | 26 | S. M. Brown, school services, | 3 | 65 |
| | | S. M. Brown, highway, | 3 | 75 |
| | 29 | State tax, | 102 | 00 |
| | | Registered letter on above, | | 12 |
| Dec. | 15 | F. C. Wood, highway, | 1 | 50 |
| | 17 | L. M. Watson, " | 48 | 9.0 |
| | 23 | G. F. Scates, school services, | 3 | 00 |
| | 28 | County tax, | 198 | 41 |
| | | Registered letter on above, | | 12 |
| 1899 |). | 7 7 1 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 2 | | |
| Jan. | 2 | Library books, extended to the library books, | 15 | 00 |
| | | Registered letter on above, | | 12 |
| | 17 | E. Libby & Sons, road plank, | 47 | 89 |
| | | G. F. Scates, highway, | 7 | 60 |
| Feb. | 1 | H. B. Wood, interest on note, | 25 | 00 |
| | 14 | Stationery and postage, | | 30 |
| | | F. C. Wood, services, board of health, | 2 | 25 |
| | | F. C. Wood, treasurer, | 15 | 00 |
| | | C. E. Lowe, highway, | 3 | 45 |
| | | E. S. Wood, interest on note, | 1 | 90 |
| 14 61 | | Balance in treasury, | 35 | 23 |
| (in 150 | | | | |
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FRANCIS C. WOOD, Treasurer.

Randolph, N. H., Feb. 15, 1899.



